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COMMANDER OF FIELD POST UNIT 55038
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TO THE UNIT COMMANDER
FIELD POST 19055

R E P O R T

I hereby submit the material on the "Sabre," the F-86 enemy aircraft, shot down in air combat by political unit deputy commander Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin I.P on September 12, 1952 in the area of Sakusyu. I sent the search teams three times into the area where the air combat took place and in the area where the enemy aircraft is believed to have been downed in order to locate the downed enemy aircraft But, as a result of the search we did not find anything, we did not find the enemy aircraft

Presumably, the enemy aircraft could have made it to the coast line of the Bay of Korea, where it could have fallen into the Bay, and pilot could have ejected.

On October 18, 1952, based on the order of the unit commander of Field Post 54892 of the unit entrusted to me there was a commission established to calculate, register, and prove the existence of documents on the downed enemy aircraft, with the chief [of the commission] unit commander of Field Post 54892 headquarters Colonel Berezhnoy

I submitted to the commission the material on the enemy aircraft shot down by Senior Lieutenant KALINKIN, namely his report, report of the pilot, who confirms the aircraft was shot down, diagram of the air battle, enlarged pictures [developed] from the FKP film, and the film itself

After thorough investigation of these materials and analysis of the film, the commission concluded that the enemy aircraft was shot down by Senior Lieutenant KALINKIN

Commission chief, Colonel BEREZHNOY, in his conclusion about the results of the commission investigation of materials on the downed aircraft, announced that according to the materials submitted to the commission - 19 downed enemy aircraft are to be entered on regiment's account, including one enemy aircraft downed by Senior Lieutenant KALINKIN I.P. on 9.12 1952.

Based on the information written above and the documents attached, I petition for issuing a unit order, for Field Post Unit 19055, for adding the downed F-86 enemy aircraft to Senior

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Lieutenant KALINKIN's tally

I attach the following documents to this report:
1. Report of the pilot who downed the enemy aircraft
2. Diagram of the air battle.
3. Report of the pilot, who watched the downed enemy aircraft fall
4 Photos from FKP film.
5 Decoding card.

Attached: 7 pages

UNIT COMMANDER, FIELD POST UNIT 55038
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Political unit
Deputy commander Air Squadron
Senior Lieutenant
Kalinkin I P.
Field Post Unit 55038

To the unit commander Field Post 55038

I report that on 9 Dec 52 at 9 44, at altitude 9500m in the area of Sakusyu, Captain Korotun and I attacked a pair of F-86 aircraft that tried to attack the pair aircraft of Captain Yudin Noticing that the F-86s quickly approached Senior Lieutenant Yefimov's aircraft, Captain Korotun attacked the lead F-86 While Captain Korotun was firing, I noticed that the wing F-86 aircraft approached his tail from below at a distance 50-70m and started firing at Captain Korotun. I made a turn and gave a fixed burst, I didn't aim fire because Lieutenant Korotun's aircraft was also in range, I informed him that the F-86 was at his tail.

After receiving my information, Captain Korotun made a sharp turn to the right. At this moment I fired at the F-86 aircraft at an angle of attack 0/4 - 1/4 and from a range of 300-180m, firing until the aircraft started falling on its back and turning to the right After I started turning in order to [illegible] the aircraft, when it was falling "on its back" my aircraft started spinning and came as close as 30-50m to the F-86.
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See Reverse

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Signature of Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin /S/

I confirm the signature of Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin I.P.
Chief of Field Unit Headquarters 55038
Colonel Samsonov

[?] September, 1952

Stamp: Military unit 55038.

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Captain Korotun M D
Field Post 55038
[?] September, 1952

To the commander of Field Post Unit 55038

Report

On September 12, 1952 I took off as part of a six-aircraft formation to conduct my combat task When heading to the area of combat action, at course 110 degrees, combat formation "gliding pair," in the area of Sakusyu at 09 44 at an altitude of 10500m, on the left of our group I noticed four F-86's, following the 110 degree course. The group and I made a turn left toward the enemy, approached them, going higher at a speed of 900 km/hour.
At an altitude of 9800m we noticed two pairs of F-86's that were entering the attack position from both sides aiming at the wing aircraft pairs My wing man Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin and I attacked F-86's that were approaching Captain Yudin's pair from the left.

Noticing that the lead F-86 was quickly approaching Captain Yudin's pair, I attacked the F-86. While I was firing at range of 500-600m, I was attacked by the wing F-86 After hearing the information from Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin about the F-86 attacking me, I got out of the attack going to the right and up. At this time Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin opened fire at the F-86 that was attacking me from a range of 300-200m and at an angle of attack 1/4. Being at a higher position, I was watching Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin's fire hitting the right wing and the back of F-86 aircraft's cabin The F-86 aircraft rolled over onto its wing over and began falling uncontrollably.

At this time, Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin went into a spin. I was watching the F-86 aircraft fall up to the moment Kalinkin's aircraft stopped spinning

I think that the F-86 aircraft attacked by Senior Lieutenant Kalinkin was shot down because it was hit and was falling down with black smoke trailing I did not see the place the aircraft fell because [I] was maneuvering to get out of the attack by the pair of F-86's I did not see the [illegible] of the F-86 I attacked, but it is documented by the photofilm.

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Captain [illegible].